

The Pipeline

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Hollywood on the Elkhorn

By Lisa Aug, CFC Communications

Hurry up, get into place. Now wait, and wait, and wait Action! Good, but we need another take. Hurry up ... wait ... action! ... retake. Hurry up ... wait ... action! ... retake.



About 50 CFC employees, their families and friends got a glimpse into the exciting but sometimes tedious production of media promotional campaigns at Elkhorn Middle School gym last Saturday. It took almost five hours to get seven photographs and a few minutes of videotape for the Adoption and Safe Families marketing campaign CFC is launching this summer.

Everyone was remarkably patient and good-humored about sacrificing their Saturday morning to help the Communications Office develop the campaign's basketball theme. Our four slogans and the illustrations that will accompany them are:

- **Kentucky's Best Team: Loving Parents, Helpful Neighbors, Caring Communities** – Crowd cheering behind the ASFA team hoisting a trophy. Our thanks especially to:

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Tintisha Richards
Sharon Surbeck
Harry Suter
Jessica Turner
Brittney Williams

Chastity Woolums
Laura Woolums
Taressa Woolums
Marguerite Wordell

Gary Woolums
Megan Woolums
Tyler Woolums
Martha Vozos

- **Kentucky's Best Zone Defense: Safe Homes** – Extended family members superimposed on a house blueprint. Our thanks especially to:

Annette Bruce
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Ashante Bruce
Damon Greene
Margaret Taul

Joe Hawkins
Chastity Woolums
Megan Woolums
Tyler Woolums

Charlene Nation
Gary Woolums
Taressa Woolums

- **Kentucky's Best Coach: A Parent**. ASFA team player dribbling toward basket with parent/coach in background. Our thanks especially to:

Megan Woolums

Jeff Boler

Annette Bruce

Ashante Bruce

- **Kentucky's Best 3-Point Play: Safe, Secure and Healthy Kids** – ASFA team player attempting three-point shot. Our thanks especially to:

Jamar Carter

Jason Mitchell

Thanks to photographer **John Perkins** of the Finance Cabinet's Division of Creative Services, and to videographers **Mark Smith and Igor Sopronenko** from Eastern Kentucky University who filmed several scenes for the ASFA video we plan to present at the Kentucky State Fair in August. Special thanks to video volunteers:

Robin Bess
Savanah Bess
Shane Bess
MacKenzie Boler
Susan Brown
Afton Giles
E. Mahlian Grinstead
Susan C. Hunt
Mary S. Smith
Margaret Taul
Taressa Woolums

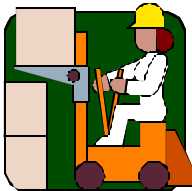


Natalie Grinstead
Marian Love
Rob Snyder
Ryan Woodson
Tyler Woolums

A Short Summer Break

By Lisa Aug, CFC Communications

The Great CFC-CHS Floor Swap in the CHR building will slow down for at least the next few weeks, giving most of us a chance to catch our breath, although CFC moving staff are keeping very busy moving some field offices.



The next “domino” to fall in the floor swap cascade will be moving CHS’ Special Investigations staff from the 4th floor to the former Distance Learning Center this summer. After workers repaint and replace the carpet in the open area, we will be able to move Personnel Division staff from the 5th floor to their permanent location on the 4th floor. That move will probably take place in the fall.

Movers and renovators will be taking special precautions to avoid disturbing finance and accounting staff until they complete the state and federal year-end close-outs in October.

If you have any questions, comments or suggestions regarding the moves, please send them to lisa.aug@mail.state.ky.us.

Over the Hump for COA

By Rose Pennington

We are halfway through our peer review site visits from the Council on Accreditation and we are more than holding our own.



Congratulations to everyone for a very important job done extremely well. Give yourself a pat on the back for your tremendous hard work, and pass along the congratulations to someone you work with (even if you do so anonymously).

We have two more site visits coming up in June, plus our exit interview after the last site visit:

Week of June 5th: Gateway/Buffalo Trace, FIVCO, Big Sandy, Kentucky River and Northern Kentucky.

Week of June 19th: Bluegrass Fayette, Bluegrass Rural, Cumberland Valley and Lake Cumberland.

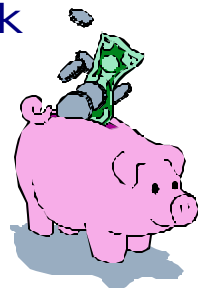
Everyone who is a part of the Cabinet for Families and Children should be very proud of how we have come together as a huge team to work toward making our services the very best.

Pipeline, a weekly newsletter for employees of the Cabinet for Families and Children, welcomes reader comments and contributions. Items for Pipeline are due by 4:30 p.m. Tuesday Call (502) 564-6786 or send information to Patricia Boler at Patricia.Boler@mail.state.ky.us

National Direct Deposit and Direct Payment Week

By Charlene Nation, CFC Employees Services Branch

The week of May 15 –19 was national Direct Deposit and Direct Payment Week. This is a fast and secure way of having pay checks deposited to your checking account. It saves time making trips to the bank and also going to the office to pick up your check if you happen to be away from the office. The money is available at the beginning of the day at *most* financial institutions. You will need to check with your bank to determine the policy for deposits.



You will receive a non-negotiable stub that shows the leave balances and all other important information that the regular check stub shows. The only difference is your money is already in the bank.

To make the change to direct deposit, simply fill out a direct deposit form and submit to the office of Employee Services along with a voided copy of check. *Do not send a deposit slip.* If a deposit slip is submitted the form will be returned and not processed. This is because occasionally the deposit slips do not have the correct numbers needed to set the account up.

Please allow 4-6 weeks for the direct deposit to take place.

For more information, please contact Melony Collins or Zenda Jones of the Employee Services Branch at 502-564-7770.



Sick Leave Needs

Janice Farler, an employee in CFC’s Office of Technology Services, is currently on leave due to surgery. She will be off work for 4 to 6 weeks. Her leave balance will be exhausted as of May 19. If you would like to donate time, contact Diana Hemze at 564-1634, ext. 111

Sandy Leadingham, an employee in the Ashland Child Support Office (FIVCO REGION), is currently on leave. She had exhausted her leave time as of May 3. If you would like to time, contact Lynn Moore at 606-920-2046.



May Day

May 29 is Memorial Day. All State offices will be closed. We remind everyone that this is one of the year’s most dangerous holidays to be on the highway. Drive safely and have a beautiful extended weekend.